* BEFORE THE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

BALTIMORE COUNTY

* CASE NO CBA-93-103

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This case comes before the Board on appeal from the final action on a development plan approved by the Hearing Officer, and at issue on the same property, in Case No. 93-153-A, an appeal from the setback and parking standards, said Petition for Variance being granted by the Zoning Commissioner.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Before the taking of any testimony, the Board received into evidence a written dismissal from Counsel for Appellant, Thomas E. Daley, D.D.S, P.A., and for Nicholas and Mary Mangione and York Road Associates and Louis Mangione. Counsel for Appellant, Stewall Corporation, on the record, dismissed Stewall Corporation's appeal.

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED this 24th day of , 1993 by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County that said appeals in the above-named cases be and the same are hereby DISMISSED with prejudice.

> COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

William T Hackett, Chairman Clare Mice C. William Clark Harry E./ Buchheister, Jr.

* BEFORE THE DEVELOPMENT PLAN HEARING AND PETITION FOR ZONING VARIANCE N/S Pennsylvania Ave, 18' W of Railroad Ave. 425-435 Penna.

* ZONING COMMISSIONER Ave. & 417,419 & 503 Joppa Rd. * OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 9th Election District 4th Councilmanic District * Case No. 1X-590 & 93-153-A

(Project No. 92-148-Z) Keys Development Corporation Petitioner

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HEARING OFFICER'S OPINION AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN/VARIANCE ORDER

This matter comes before the Hearing Officer/Zoning Commissioner for review of the Development Plan and related variances for the above captioned property located in east Towson. The property is comprised of two of which is known as 425-435 Pennsylvania Avenue and the other as 417, 419 and 503 Joppa Road. The proposed development will be known as Hill Community. The project is proposed by East Towson Joint Venture. In addition to approval of the development plan, the Petitioner, within case No. 93-153-A, seeks a number of variances as they relate to the proposed community. These variances generally relate to setback and parking standards and are more fully set forth in the schedule (exhibit) attached to the Petition for Variance. Further, the Petition for Variance was amended at the public hearing for this case. The effect of that amendment was to modify the variances set forth in Item D of the schedule and o delete those variances noted in Item E of the schedule. As now proposed, the Developer seeks the following variances:

1. From Section 1B01.2.C.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) and associated provisions of the Comprehensive Manual Development Policy (CMDP) to permit:

(A) a 24 ft. rear building envelope setback to rear property line for buildings 2,3,4,5 and 6, and a 20 ft. rear building envelope setback

to rear property line for building 6, all in lieu of the required 30 ft.;

(B) an 11 ft. side yard setback for building 3 to a private road in lieu of the required 25 ft.; and,

(C) a 21 ft. side yard setback for buildings 1 and 4 to the public street right-of-way in lieu of the required 25 ft.

2. From Section 409.8A.1 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit:

(A) a 2 ft. and 7 ft. parking to property line design standard in lieu of the required setbacks in the landscape manual for buildings 7,8,9

(B) a 3 ft. parking to building setback in lieu of the required 6 ft. in the landscape manual for buildings 7,8,9 and 10; and

(C) an approval of the modified parking plan proposed, pursuant to Section 409.12B.

3. From Section 201.3C.2 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit the following in an R.A.E.2 zone:

(A) a distance of 50 ft. between facing windows at building envelopes 8 and 10 and 56 ft. between facing windows at building envelopes 7 and 9, all in lieu of the required 75 ft.

(B) a 64 ft. distance between facing windows at building envelopes 7 and 8 and building envelopes 9 and 10, in lieu of the required 75

4. An amended request has been presented for relief from Section 201.3.C.1 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit:

(A) A setback distance of 8 ft. from the building envelope to the street line setback of Joppa Road : lieu of the required 15 ft. for building 8;

(B) A distance of 48 ft. from the building envelope setback to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building 8 and a 53 ft. distance from building envelope setback to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building 10, in lieu of the required 60 ft.; and

(C) A 20 ft. building envelope setback distance to the property line for buildings 7 to 10, in lieu of the required 30 ft.

In addition to the above relief, the Petitioner seeks a waiver from Section 26-278 of the Baltimore County Code (Development Regulations) which requires preservation of historic structures. In lieu of strict compliance with this requirement, the Petitioner requests permission to either (a) relocate the existing historic structures; or, (b) demolish the structures. This waiver was presented by Pat Keller, Deputy Director, on behalf of the Office of Planning and Zoning. That County agency has granted this waiver.

Appearing at the public hearing required for this project were numerous representatives of the East Towson Joint Venture. These included Harold T. Rubin, Wendy Rubin and Winstead Rouse. Also appearing on behalf the Petition was the Engineer who prepared the plan, Tony Corteal, and the Architect who has prepared the building elevations for the proposed structures, George Holback. The Petitioners were represented by Keith E. Ronald, Esquire. Other individuals appeared in opposition to the proposal. These included Dr. Thomas Daley, who owns property at 521 E. Joppa Road. Mr. Daley was represented by George Breschi, Esquire. Also appearing was Louis Mangione who owns property immediately adjacent to the site. Mr. Mangione was represented by Joe LaVerghetta, Esquire. Lastly, a representative of the Manor Care Nucsing Home, which is also adjacent to the property appeared at the public hearing. That institution was repre-

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sented by Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. Numerous representatives of Baltimore County also appeared at the hearing. These included Ervin McDaniel and Lenwood Johnson from the Office of Planning and Zoning, Don Rascoe, Project Manager/Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management, and Frank Welsh, Department of Community Development

Although the above described relief appears complex, the proposed development and requested variances are all part of a larger scheme which is easily understandable. The property is actually comprised of two rectangular lots, one of which abuts Joppa Road and the other adjoins Pennsylvania Avenue in East Towson. The Joppa Road lot is approximately 3.1 acres in area. It is presently unimproved. The Pennsylvania Avenue lot, which is also rectangular, is approximately 2.8 acres in size. That property is largely vacant, but for several old frame dwelling buildings. These rectangular lots share a narrow common boundary at the northwest corner of the Pennsylvania Avenue lot and southeast corner of the Joppa Road parcel. Both lots are split-zoned R.A.E.2 and D.R.10.5.

The Petitioner proposes development of the subject properties in accordance with the development plan submitted as Petitioner's Exhibit No. The properties will be developed so a to provide affordable housing within the East Towson community. On the Joppa Road lot, the Petitioner proposes construction of four separate buildings which will, in total, house 36 condominium units. Two of the buildings will contain 12 units each and the other two 6 units each. It is envisioned that these units will be owned in fee simple by prospective buyers and will be part of a condominium association. The Pennsylvania Avenue lot also proposes condominium units. However, these are characterized as townhouse units and 17 different units are proposed. There will be 6 buildings involved; 5 containing three townhouse units and the other one containing 2 units. Variances are requested as they relate to building to building, building to street, building to right of way and similar setbacks. Also, certain parking variances are requested.

As to the history of the project, the concept plan conference for this development was held on June 1, 1992. As required, a community input meeting was conducted on June 23, 1992. Subsequently, the developer submitted a development plan and a conference thereon was held on November 25, 1992. The required development plan hearing before me was scheduled for December 14, 1992.

At the public hearing, I am required to determine what, if any, issues and comments authored by the reviewing Baltimore County agencies were unresolved. My responsibility in this respect is more fully set forth in Section 26-206 of the Development Regulations. In this regard, Mr. Corteal testified that all of the development plan comments issued by the appropriate County agencies have been addressed and resolved. Specifically, he submitted a revised development plan, marked as Exhibit No. 2 and testified that this amended plan satisfied all of the relevant County comments. In fact, his testimony was corroborated by County agency representatives at the hearing. Their testimony buttressed Mr. Corteal's assertion that the amended plan had been reviewed and determined appropriate by these agencies. A number of specified issues were identified as resolved by the revised plan. Specifically, Mr. Corteal noted that a wetlands area has been delineated and that certain mitigation efforts have been undertakn to address the environmental concerns created by these wetlands. They exist on the southeast corner of the Joppa Road lot. Secondly, Mr. Corteal described the waiver which is being requested for the historic

buildings on site. These buildings, which are in a state of disrepair will be made available by the Developer for relocation offsite. If there is no interest in relocation and preservation, they will be demolished. Third, Mr. Corteal described and addressed those County comments related to the Storm Water Management System. Specifically, a system has been planned to comply with all County regulations to prevent additional storm water runoff. In this respect, the plan includes an underground system to transit all runoff created by the impervious surface onsite to an underground facility under the Pennsylvania Avenue lot. Fourth, Mr. Corteal noted that he has met and obtained tentative approval for the proposed landscaping plan from Mr. Avery Hardin, the County's Landscape Architect. Mr. Corteal noted that the proposed landscaping meets or exceeds County standards and has been determined to be in compliance with the Landscape Manual by Mr. Hardin. Fifth, testimony was provided as to the northern portion of the Pennsylvania Avenue lot which abuts the Manor Care property. Evidence was submitted that there exists an unrecorded agreement between the Manor Care property owners and the Petitioner as to Manor Care parking on the subject site. This agreement permits Manor Care to utilize a portion of the subject property for parking. There has been significant negotiations between these two respective landowners as to the validity of that agreement and the impact of the proposed development on the Manor Care parking. Mr. Corteal indicated that these communications have resulted in the submission of the amended development plan which is acceptable to the Petitioner and satisfies the requirements of the Manor Care property owners. In this respect, Mr. Hoffman, representing Manor Care, indicated that, without waiving any rights on behalf of his client as to the enforceability of the underlying agreement, he believes that a satisfacto-

ry solution as to this issue can be obtained. In fact, it was noted that the proposed plan provides 19 additional spaces for the Manor Care property. Lastly, Mr. Corteal described the public utilities that serve the site and the arrangements which had been made to provide sewer service to the Manor Care property under the terms of an existing easement.

Mr. Corteal also observed that approximately 130 units would be permitted under the applicable density. However, as noted above, only 53 units are proposed. He stated that the Developer could construct a high rise building on the lot, but in order to be sensitive to the community, a project of the scale shown on the plan was submitted.

Also testifying was George Holback, the Architect for the proposed development. He described the great care which has been taken by the Developer to provide a product which is compatible with the residential community nearby in East Towson. He noted certain changes to the originally submitted plan which necessitated an amendment to the variance requested. Specifically, these involve the realignment of a porch and the stairway access to same, thereby reducing the building to street setbacks for buildings 8 and 10. Mr. Holback described the architectural scheme and intent of the proposed development and produced Petitioner's Exhibits 4A and 4B showing the exterior architectural elevations of the proposed units.

In addition to these witnesses, testimony was also received from County representatives. This testimony included that from R. Bruce Seeley from the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM). Mr. Seeley produced amended development plan comments which had been prepared by his agency. These comments are largely general and applicable to all development projects undertaken in Baltimore County. However, Mr. Seeley did comment that a note on the plan regarding a variance,

111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

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Keys Development Corporation 405 E. Joppe Boad #300 Towson, Haryland 21206

DATE: 12-9-92

M/S Pennsylvania Avenue, 18' W of Railroad Avenue 425-435 (odd) Pennsylvania ävenue and 417, 419, & 503 Joppa Road 9th Election District - 4th Councilmanic Patitioner(s): Keys Development Corporation HEARING: MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1992 at 11:00 a.m. in Rm. 118, Old Courthouse.

Dear Petitioner(s):

Please be advised that \$ 153.88 is due for advertising and posting of the above captioned property and hearing date.

THIS FRE MEIST BE PAID AND THE ZONTING SIGN & POST SET(S) RETURNED ON THE DAY OF THE HEARING OR THE ORDER SHALL NOT ISSUE. DO NOT REMOVE THE SIGN & POST SET(S) FROM THE PROPERTY UNTIL THE DAY OF THE HEARING.

Please forward your check via return mail to the Zoning Office, County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake avenue, Room 109, Towson, Maryland 21204. Place the case number on the check and make some payable to Baltimore County, Maryland. In order to avoid delay of the issuance of proper credit and/or your Order, immediate attention to this matter is suggested.

cc: Keith E. Ronald, Esq.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Baltimore County Government

Office of Zoning Administration

and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

The Zoning Commissioner of Bultimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Bultimore County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein infloom 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chaseponke Svenue in Towson, Maryland 21204orScom 118, Old Courthouse, 400 Heshington Avenue, Touson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

CASE MUMBER: 93-153-A (Item 157) M/S Pennsylvania Avenue, 18' W of Railroad Avenue 425-435 (odd) Pennsylvenia hvenue and 417, 419, & 503 Joppe Boad 9th Election District - 4th Councilmonic Petitioner(s): Keys Development Corporation HEARING: MOMDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1992 at 11:00 a.m. in Rm. 118, Old Courthouse.

Variance to permit a 24 ft rear building envelope setback to rear property line for buildings #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6 and a 20 ft rear building envelope setback to rear property line for building #6 in lies of the required 30 ft; a 11 ft side of building #3 envelope setback to private road in lieu of the required 25 ft; 21 ft side of building #1 and #4 evelope setback to public street right-of-way in lieu of the required 25 ft; to permit 2 ft and 7 ft parking to property line design standards in lieu of required setbacks in the landscape manual for buildings #7, #8, #9, and #10; to permit 3 ft parking to building in lieu of the required 6 ft setback in the landscape manual for buildings #7, #8, #9, and #10; to approve the modified parking plan; to permit 50 ft between facing windows at building envelopes #6 and #10 and 56 ft between facing windows at building envelopes #7 and #9 in lieu of the required 75 ft; to permit 64 ft between facing windows at building envelopes #7 and #8 and building envelopes #9 and #10 in lieu of the required 75 ft; to permit as close as 10 ft from building envelope to street line setback of Joppa Road in lieu of the required 15 ft for building #8; to permit 50 ft from building envelope to the street centerline on Joppe Road for building #8 and 55 ft from building envelope methods to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building #10 in lieu of the required 60 ft; to permit 20 ft building envelope setback to property line for buildings #7-#10 in lieu of the required 30 ft; to permit 24 ft building separation between alternative building envelope #4 to rear building face of alternative building #12 in lieu of the required 40 ft; and to permit 21 ft building separation between alternative building envelope #4 to rear building face of alternative building #11 in lieu of the required 40 ft.

Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

cc: Keys Development Corporation Keith E. Roueld, Esq.

NOTE: HEARINGS ARE HAMDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMONATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

NOVEMBER 13, 1992

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DEVELOPMENT PLAN

NOTICE OF HEARING OFFICER'S HEARING

DEVELOPMENT: HARRIS HILL

THE HEARING OFFICER'S HEARING OF THE ABOVE MATTER WILL TAKE AS FOLLOWS:

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1992

11:00 a.m.

RM. 118, COURTHOUSE, 400 WASHINGTON AVE., TOWSON MD.

ARNOLD JABLON DIRECTOR, ZADM

oc: George Holbeck/Cho, Hilks & Benn Keith R. Bonald, Reg. Keys Development Corporation

and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

December 2, 1992

Baltimore County Government

Office of Zoning Administration

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Keith E. Ronald, Esquire Thomas, Ronald & Cooper, P.A. 409 Washington Avenue, STE 314 Towson, MD 21204

> RE: Case No. 93-153-A, Item No. 157 Petitioner: Keys Development Corporation Petition for Variance

Dear Mr. Ronald:

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, MD 21204

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (ZAC) has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The attached comments from each reviewing agency are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties. i.e. Zoning Commissioner, attorney and/or the petitioner, are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case.

Enclosed are all comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition. If additional comments are received from other members of ZAC, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

The following comments are related only to the filing of future zoning petitions and are aimed at expediting the petition filing process with this office.

1) The Director of Zoning Administration and Development Management has instituted a system whereby seasoned zoning attorneys who feel that they are capable of filing petitions that comply with all aspects of the zoning regulations and petitions filing requirements can file their petitions with this office without the necessity of a preliminary review by Zoning personnel.

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

(410) 887-3353

Your petition has been received and accepted for filing this

4th day of November 1992.

Received By:

Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

Petitioner: Keys Development Corporation Petitioner's Attorney: Keith E. Ronald

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: November 20, 1992 TO: Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM: Robert W. Bowling, P.E.

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting for November 23, 1992 Item No. 157

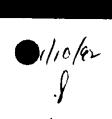
The Developers Engineering Division has reviewed the subject zoning item. We will not recommend against the proposed variances to the Landscape Manual requirements, but we will seek the maximum landscape treatment possible in order to mitigate the effects of the proposed variances.

The schematic landscape plan for this site that was submitted as part of the development review does not adequately address the landscape needs of this site. In order to produce an approvable schematic landscape plan prior to approval of the development plan, please have your landscape architect contact Avery Harden in the Developers Engineering Division for details.

Developers Engineering Division

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Item No.: +157 (JU)

O. James Lighthizer Hal Kassoff

Ms. Julie Winiarski Zoning Administration and Development Management County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, Maryland 21204

Dear Ms. Winiarski:

This office has reviewed the referenced item and we have no objection to approval as it does not access a State roadway and is not effected by any State Highway Administration

Please contact David Ramsey at 410-333-1350 if you have any questions.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this item.

Very truly yours, David M Ramon 11/10/92

ZONING OFFICE

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration & Development Management

DATE: November 19, 1992

FROM: Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: Harris Hill

Petitioner: Keys Development Corporation Property Size:

.29 acres R.A.E. 2, IR 10.5 Zoning: Variance Hearing Date:

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

This particular property will come before the Hearing Officer for approval of its development plan. At that particular time, the Hearing Officer will rule on any variances, special exceptions, or special hearings affecting the site in addition to taking final action on the development plan.

The Office of Planning and Zoning's comments are included as part of the development file.

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and Development Management

DATE: November 25, 1992

FROM: J. Lawrence Pilson Development Coordinator, DEPRM

Zoning Item #157 425-435 (odd) Pennsylvania Avenue and 417, 419 and Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of November 16, 1992

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above referenced zoning item.

Development of the property must comply with the Regulations for the Protection of Water Quality, Streams, Wetlands and Floodplains.

A variance for impacts to the non-tidal wetlands and Forest Buffer is currently being processed.

LP:sp

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Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-3353

January 26, 1993

Baltimore County Board of Appeals Old Courthouse, Room 49 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Petition for Zoning Variance N/S Pennsylvania Avenue, 18' W of Railroad Avenue (425-435 Pennsylvania Avenue & 417, 419 & 503 Joppa Road) 9th Election District, 4th Councilmanic District KEYS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION - Petitioner Case No. 93-153-A (Development Plan Case No. IX-590)

Please be advised that appeals of the above-referenced case were filed in this office on January 22, 1993 by:

 George A. Breschi, Esquire, on behalf of Thomas E. Daley, D.D.S. Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire on behalf of Nicholas and Mary Mangione York Road Associates and Louis Mangione

2. Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire, on behalf of Stewall Corporation

All materials relative to the case are being forwarded herewith.

Please notify all parties to the case of the date and time of the appeal hearing when it has been scheduled. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Very truly yours,

Arnold Jablon - Director Zoning Administration and Development Management

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Appeal Cover Letter - Case No. 93-153-A (IX-590) Board of Appeals

c: Keith Ronald, Esquire - Thomas, Ronald & Cooper, P.A. Suite 314, 409 Washington Avenue, Towson, Md. 21204

George A. Breschi - DiNenna and Breschi 409 Washington Avenue, Suite 600, Towson, Md. 21204 Joseph LaVerghetta - 1205 York Road, Lutherville, Md. 21093 Robert A. Hoffman - Venable Baetjer and Howard 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21285-5517 People's Counsel of Baltimore County

Old Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, MD 21204

January 26, 1993

PLEASE GRADE PROFESSION SEVENOTIONS MARRIEDS CAME NO. TH-990 VINT VARIABLE MEMBERS CREE NO. 93-153-X

Baltimore County Government Fire Department



700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21204-5500

NOVEMBER 17, 1992

(410) 887-4500

Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204

RE: Property Owner: KEYS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION Location: #425-435 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE

AND \$417,419 & 503 JOPPA ROAD Item No.: +157(JLL) Zoning Agenda: NOVEMBE 16, 1992

Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.

4. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operation.

5. The buildings and structures existing or proposed on the site shall comply with all applicable requirements of the National Fire Protection Association Standard No. 101 "Life Safety Code", 1988 edition prior to occupancy.

Planning Group U Special Inspection Division Fire Prevention Bureau

JP/KEK

Gentlemen:



O. James Lighthizer Hal Kassoff

Mr. Robert Covahey, Chief Bureau of Public Services County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204 Attn: Mr. Jose Escalante

Harris Hill DPW # 92/48 z ZADM # IX . 590

Dear Mr. Covahey:

This office has reviewed the referenced plan and we have no objection to approval as the development does not access a State roadway and is not effected by any State Highway Administration projects.

Please contact David Ramsey at 410-333-1350 if you have any questions. Thank you for the opportunity to review this plan.

Very truly yours,

Engineering Access Permits



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Petition for Zoning Variance N/S Pennsylvania Avenue, 18' W of Railroad Avenue (425-435 Pennsylvania Avenue and 417, 419 & 503 Joppa Road) 9th Election District - 4th Councilmanic District KEYS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION - PETITIONER Case No. 93-153-A (DEVELOPMENT PLAN CASE NO. IX-590)

Petition(s) for Zoning Variance

Description of Property

Certificate of Posting

Certificate of Publication

Entry of Appearance of People's Counsel Zoning Plans Advisory Committee Comments

Director of Planning & Zoning Comments

Petitioner(s), Protestant(s) and Citizen(s) Sign-In Sheets

Petitioner's Exhibits: 1. No exhibit marked "P.E. 1"

Unmarked Exhibit:

Plat to accompany zoning petition

2. Harris Hill Development Plan (Colored)

3. Photo board of existing sites and area

4A. Condo. Plans/Elevation drawings 4B. Townhouse Plans/Elevation drawings

Zoning Commissioner's Order dated December 23, 1993 (Granted)

Notice of Appeal received on January 22, 1993 from:

1. George A. Breschi, Esquire, on behalf of Thomas E. Daley, D.D.S. Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire on behalf of Micholas and Mary Mangione York Road Associates and Louis Mangione

2. Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire, on behalf of Stewall Corporation

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Appeal Checklist - Case No. 93-153A (Case No. IX-590) Board of Appeals Page 2 January 26, 1993

Request Notification: P. David Fields, Director of Planning & Zoning Patrick Keller, Office of Planning & Zoning Lawrence E. Schmidt, Zoning Commissioner Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning Commissioner W. Carl Richards, Jr., Zoning Coordinator Docket Clerk Arnold Jablon, Director of ZADM

PLEASE CONSOLIDATE DEVELOPMENT HEARING CASE NO. IX-590 WITH VARIANCE HEARING CASE NO. 93-153-A

Public Services

1/27/93 -Notice of Assignment sent to following for hearing scheduled for Friday, February 19, 1993 at 10:00 a.m.:

George A. Breschi, Esquire Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Keith Ronald, Esquire Keys Development Corporation STV/Lyon Associates People's Counsel for Baltimore County P. David Fields Lawrence E. Schmidt Timothy H. Kotroco W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning Arnold Jablon, Director/ZADM Developers Engineering Division Economic Development Commission Michael Moran, Assoc. County Attorney

County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

OLD COURTHOUSE, ROOM 49 400 WASHINGTON AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 (410) 887-3180

February 24, 1993

George A. Breschi, Esquire DINENNA AND BRESCHI Suite 600 Mercantile-Towson Building 409 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

> Re: Case No. CBA-93-103 /Harris Hill and Case No. 93-153-A /Keys Development Corp. (ZADM Case No. IX-590)

Dear Mr. Breschi:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Order of Dismissal

issued this date by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County in the subject matter.

> Sincerely, Jakun Chedenkummer Kathleen C. Weidenhammer Administrative Assistant

cc: Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Keith Ronald, Esquire Keys Development Corporation Jeffrey H. Scherr, Esquire STV/Lyon Associates P. David Fields Lawrence E. Schmidt Timothy H. Kotroco W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk -Zoning Arnold Jablon, Director/ZADM Developers Engineering Economic Development Commission Michael J. Moran, Assoc. County Attorney

County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

OLD COURTHOUSE, ROOM 49 400 WASHINGTON AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 (410) 887-3180

Room 48, Old Courthouse January 27, 1993

NO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHOUT GOOD AND SUFFICIENT REASONS. REQUESTS FOR POSTPONEMENTS MUST BE IN WRITING AND IN STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2(b). MO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) DAYS OF SCHEDULED HEARING DATE UNLESS IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2(c), COUNTY COUNCIL BILL NO. 59-79.

CASE NO. CBA-93-103

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Suite 113 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue

Towson, MD 21204

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire

210 Allegheny Avenue

P.O. Box 5517

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

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Towson, Maryland 21285-5517

Case Nos. IX-590 and 93-153-A

HARRIS HILL /ZADM CASE NO. IX-590 RE: Approval of Plan

CASE NO. 93-153-A

KEYS DEV CORP /ZADM CASE NO. IX-590 VAR -Setback and parking standards

12/23/92 -ZC's decision in which the plan known as Harris Hill was APPROVED and the Petition for Variance GRANTED.

N/s Pennsylvania Avenue, 18' W of Railroad Avenue (425-435 Pennsylvania Avenue & 417, 419 and 503 Joppa Road) 9th Election District 4th Councilmanic District

ASSIGNED FOR: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1993 AT 10:00 a.m.

cc: George A. Breschi, Esquire

Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire

Counsel for T. Daley, D.D.S. /Appellant Counsel for Mr. & Mrs. N. Mangione, York Road Associates & Louis Mangione /Appellants

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Counsel for Stewall Corp. Keith Ronald, Esquire

/Appellant Counsel for Petitioner Keys Development Corporation Petitioner STV/Lyon Associates

> Baltimore County Government Zoning Commissioner
> Office of Planning and Zoning

RE: Hearing Officer's Opinion and Development Plan/Variance Order

Keys Development Corp., East Towson Joint Venture- Harris Hill

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 6, 1993.

of the body of my opinion which summarized that testimony. As I recall, Mr.

Lewis offered uncontradicted testimony that the public hearing held for the

subject case and the adoption of the parking arrangement shown on the devel-

approval of that portion of the parking arrangement utilized by your client

(Manor Care) on the subject property. Further, I believe that my findings are consistent with Mr. Corteal's testimony that the parking arrangement

utilized by Manor Care on this site would not cause any adverse impact and

I trust that this letter has clarified the intent of my opinion and

Zoning Commissioner

order, however, if you have any further questions, please contact me.

opment plan was sufficient to protect your client's interest. By way of clarification, let me repeat that my opinion should be deemed to constitute

As to the testimony of Mr. John Lewis, I draw your attention to page 8

January 22, 1993

People's Counsel for Baltimore County P. David Fields Lawrence E. Schmidt Timothy H. Kotroco W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning Arnold Jablon, Director/ZADM Developers Engineering Division

Economic Development Commission Michael Moran, Assoc. County Attorney

> Kathleen C. Weidenhammer Administrative Assistant

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Baltimore County TO: <u>Hearing Officer</u>

DATE: December 11, 1992

Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning & Zoning

SUBJECT: Harris Hill - Historic Structure

IN RE: DEVELOPMENT PLAN HEARING *

AND PETITION FOR ZONING

419 & 503 Joppa Rd. 9th

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Keys Development

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Mr. Commissioner:

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VARIANCE N/S Pennsylvania *

425-435 Penna. Ave. & 417,*

Ave, 18' W of Railroad Ave.

The Harris Hill Development Plan contains two historic structures, 431-33 E. Pennsylvania Avenue and 435 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, the Frazier House listed as No. BA 1060 on the Maryland Historic Trust Inventory.

In accordance with the procedures outlined in the Development Regulations, Section 26-278 requires that all structures listed in Section 260-202 ... "must be preserved." It is the applicant's intent to either 1) relocate the existing historic structures or 2) demolish the structures. The historic structures may be demolished pursuant to Section 26-172, by requesting a Waiver to demolish the structures. The Maryland Historic Trust and National Historic Trust have been consulted and do not object to the demolition of 431-33 and 435 East Pennsylvania

All efforts should be made to relocate the structures for adoptive reuse of the buildings, however, if this is not feasible then the removal of the structures should be undertaken. Staff has considered the historic importance of these buildings but in light of this project's public benefit of providing affordable housing to the residents of Baltimore County and more particularly Towson, recommends that a waiver be GRANTED.

Attchment

CC: FILE

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 22nd day of January, 1993, a copy of the aforegoing Order for Appeal was mailed, postage prepaid to Keith Ronald, Esquire, Thomas, Ronald & Cooper, P.A., Suite 314, 409 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204.

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Chairman, Board of Appeals

Arnold Jablon, Director

Zoning Administration and Development Management

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF APPEAL HARRIS HILL Final Development Plan Case No. IX-590

from the decision of the Zoning Commissioner made on December 23, 1992 in regard to the approval of the Plan of Harris Hill in the name of:

Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire on behalf of Nicholas and Mary Mangione York Road Associates and Louis Mangione

2. Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire, on behalf of Stewall Corporation

Please notify all parties to the case of the date and time of the appeal hearing when it has been scheduled. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

cc: STV/Lyon Associates, Developer Office of Law Director of Planning

PLEASE CONSOLIDATE DEVELOPMENT HEARING CASE NO. IX-590 WITH VARIANCE HEARTING CASE NO. 93-153-A

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

January 26, 1993

(Variance Case No. 93-153-A)

On January 22, 1993, this office received & Notices of Appeal

1. George A. Breschi, Esquire, on behalf of Thomas E. Daley, D.D.S., P.A.

All materials relative to the case are being forwarded

Developers Engineering Division Economic Development Commission

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should, therefore, be approved.

cc: Keith E. Ronald, Esquire George A. Breschi, Esquire

Joseph C. LaVerghetta, Esquire

(410) 887-4386

* * * * * * * * * * JOINT ORDER FOR APPEAL

Case No.: IX-590 & 93-153-A

(Project No. 92-148-Z)

BEFORE THE

Now comes Thomas E. Daley, D.D.S., P.A., by George A. Breschi,

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(410) 296-6820

JOSEPH LAVERGHETTA

and Louis Mangione

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D.D.S.,

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Towson, Maryland 21204

409 Washington Avenue, Suite 600

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Attorneys for Thomas E. Daley,

Esquire and DiNenna and Breschi; and Nicholas and Mary Mangione, York

Road Associates and Louis Mangione, by Joseph Laverghetta, Esquire and

enter an Order for Appeal from the Decision of the Zoning Commissioner

regarding the Variance Order dated December 23, 1992.

ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

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431-33 Penn NO SITE NUMBER

In order to file an appeal with the County Board of Appeals in

accordance with the requirements of Bill 41-91, the following form may

21204). The appellant should complete this form and submit it along with the fee of \$75.00 (check or money order made payable to Baltimore

GROUNDS FOR THE APPEAL and reasons why the Action appealed should be

Stewall Corporation is appealing the approval of the Development Plan

to the extent that the parking provided to Manor Care as shown on the

Development Plan is inconsistent with the Agreements (submitted as

Protestant's Exhibit 1/2 at the Hearing Officer's Hearing) entered into

between the Stewall Corporation and the Petitioner, Keys Development

(attach additional sheets if needed)

Date invoice was issued:_____

Development, Bureau of Public Services, Department of Public Works (Room 319, County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Ave., Towson, MD.

be accepted for processing to the CBA by the Division of Land

County, Maryland) within 30 days of the action appealed.

ACTION BEING APPEALED: Development Plan Approval

NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF APPELLANT(S):

reversed or remanded:

· Stewall Corporation

10750 Columbia Pike

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Silver Spring, MD 20901

VENABLE, BAETJER AND HOWARD

ATTORNEYS AT LAW A PARTNERSHIP INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL CORPORATIONS 210 ALLEGHENY AVENUE P.O. BOX 5517

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21285-5517

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January 6, 1993

BALTIMORE, MD WASHINGTON, D. C. MCLEAN, VA ROCKVILLE, MD BEL AIR, MD

ROBERT A. HOFFMAN

PAX (410) 821-0147

WRITER'S DIRECT NUMBER IS (410) 494-9162

Lawrence E. Schmidt, Zoning Commissioner First Floor, Old Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Keys Development Corporation East Towson Joint Venture - Harris Hill Case Nos. IX-590 and 93-153-A

Dear Mr. Schmidt:

I reviewed the Hearing Officer's Opinion and Development Plan/Variance Order in the referenced case on behalf of my client, Stewall Corporation, doing business as the Manor Care Nursing Home on East Joppa Road. Although your opinion mentions at page 6 and 7 the proposed additional parking for the Manor Care Nursing Home, it does not indicate either: (i) the testimony of John Lewis of Zoning Administration and Development Management that approval of the development plan and zoning variances in this case would result in approval of Manor Care's parking without the necessity for further hearing, or (ii) testimony from Mr. Tony Corteal that there would be no adverse impact if the parking plan for Manor Care was approved as part of this case.

Although I believe your Opinion and Order does approve Manor Care's proposed parking, it is respectfully requested that the Opinion and Order be clarified to reflect the above.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

cc: Keith E. Ronald, Esquire George A. Breschi, Esquire Joseph C. LaVerghetta, Esquire William A. Hasson

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Hearing Officer's Opinion and Development Plan/ Variance Order Case Nos. IX-590 and 93-153-A

Dear Mr. Jablon:

On behalf of Stewall Corporation, whose address is 10750 Columbia Pike, Silver Spring, Maryland 20901, and who owns the abutting property located at 509 E. Joppa Road, Towson, Maryland, I hereby note an appeal from the Hearing Officer's Opinion and Development Plan/Variance Order dated December 23, 1992.

Enclosed is our check to cover the cost of this appeal. Thank you for your cooperation.

PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHE

Enclosure cc: Lawrence E. Schmidt, Zoning Commissioner Keith E. Ronald, Esquire

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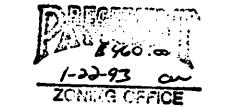
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January 22, 1993

Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and Development Management County Courts Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Keys Development Corporation East Towson Joint Venture - Harris Hill

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WRITER'S DIRECT RUMBER IS

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February 1, 1993

William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Old Court House 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Keys Development Corporation, Petitioner Petition for Zoning Variance Case No.: 93-153-A (Development Plan Case No.: IX-590)

Dear Mr. Hackett:

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Enclosed please find our Petition which is to accompany the Notice of Appeal filed in the above captioned matter on January 22,

Sincerely,

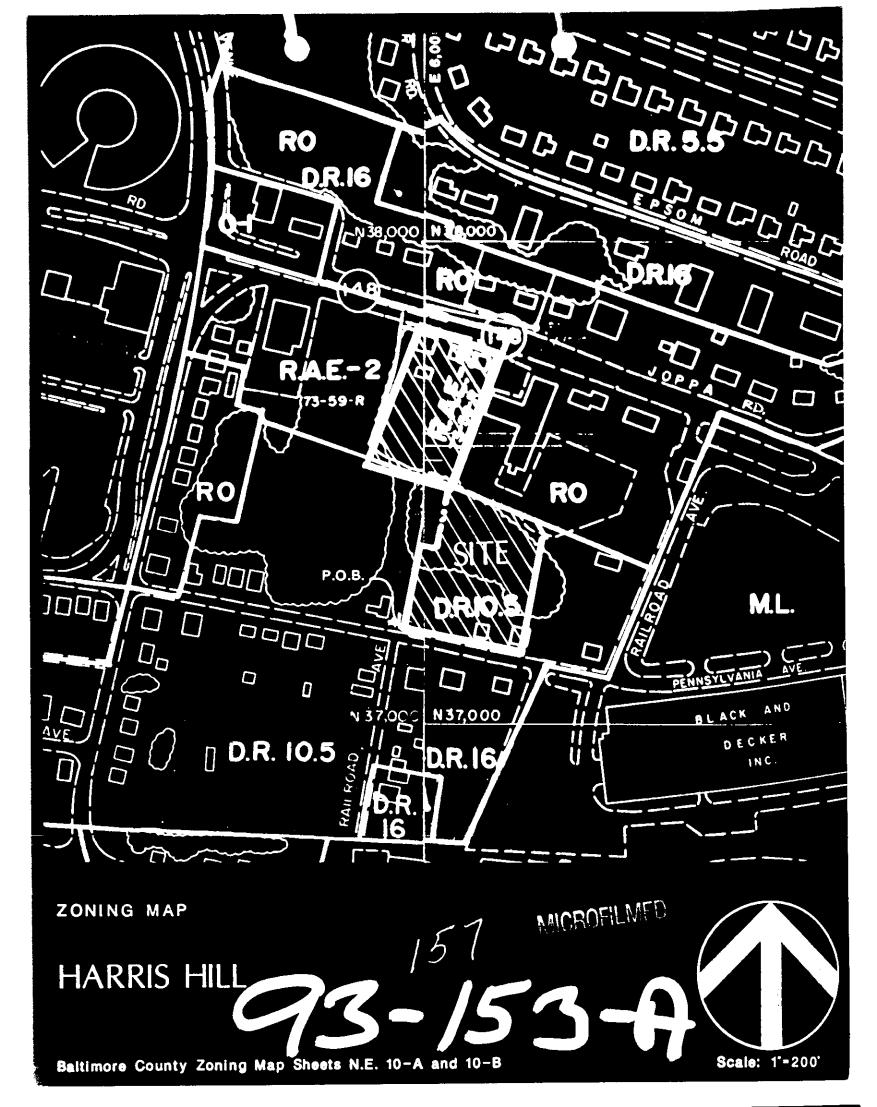
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cc: Lawrence E. Schmidt, Zoning Commissioner Arnold Jablon, Director, Zoning Administration and Development Management Gene L. Neff, Director, Department of Public Services

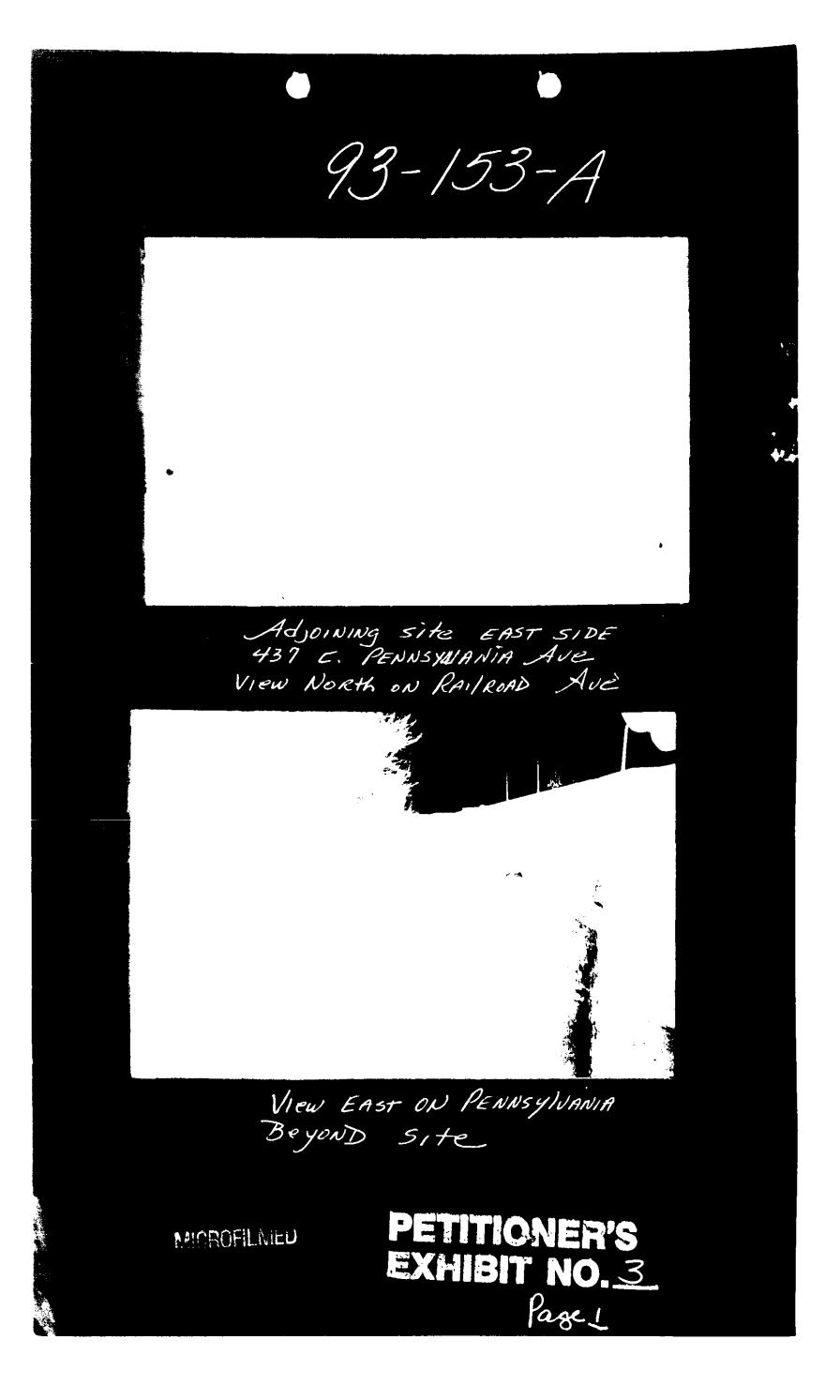
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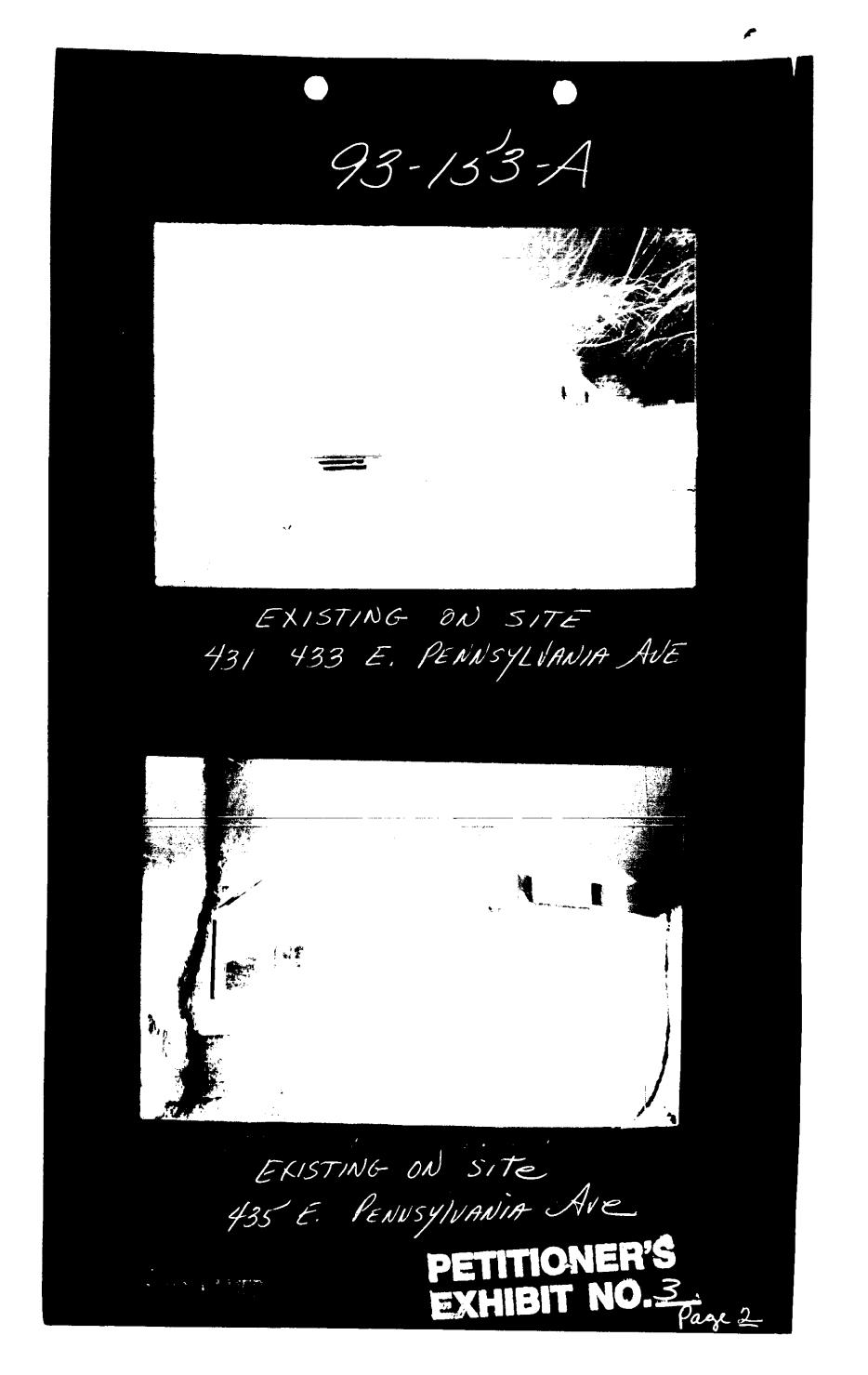
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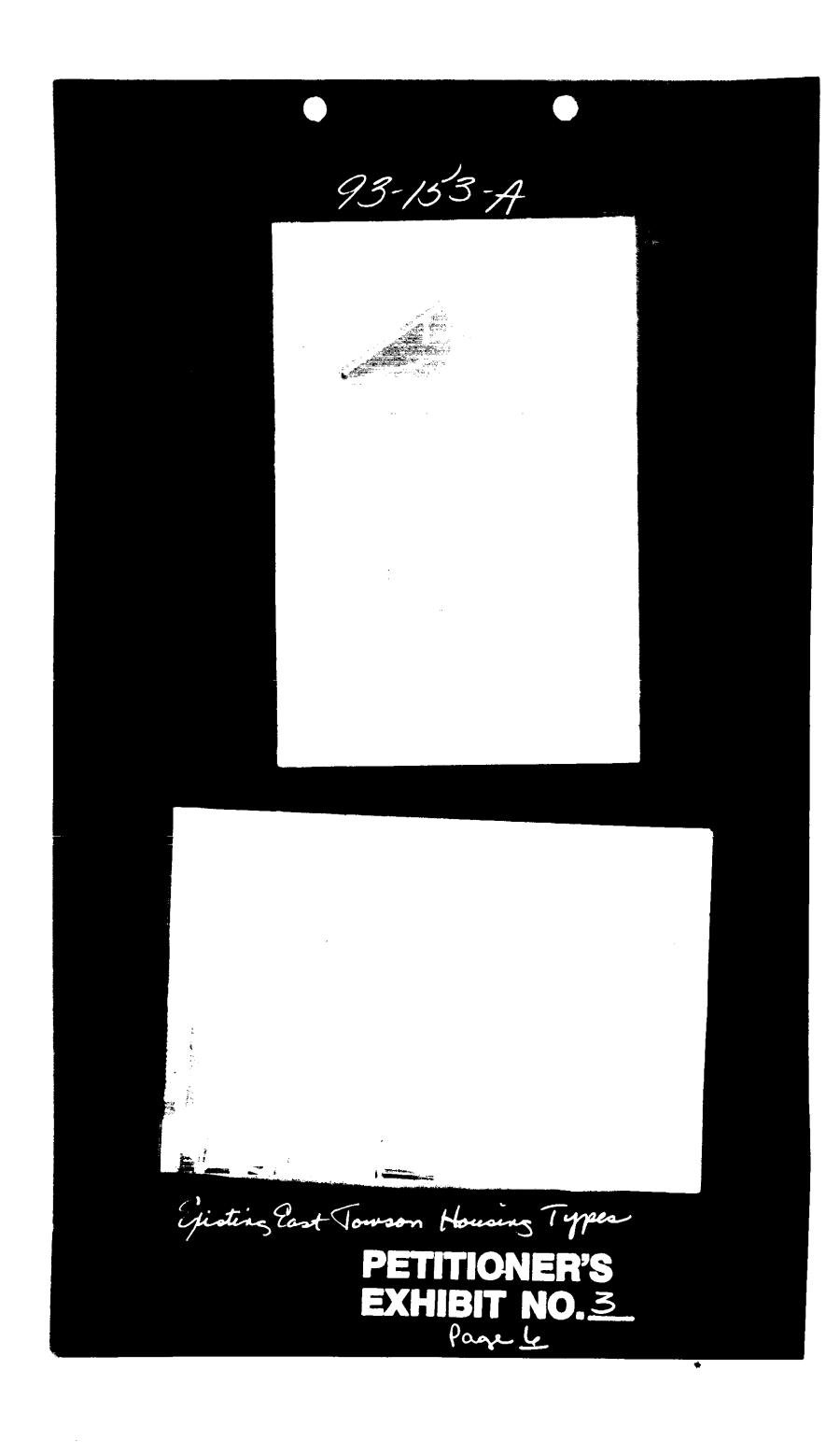


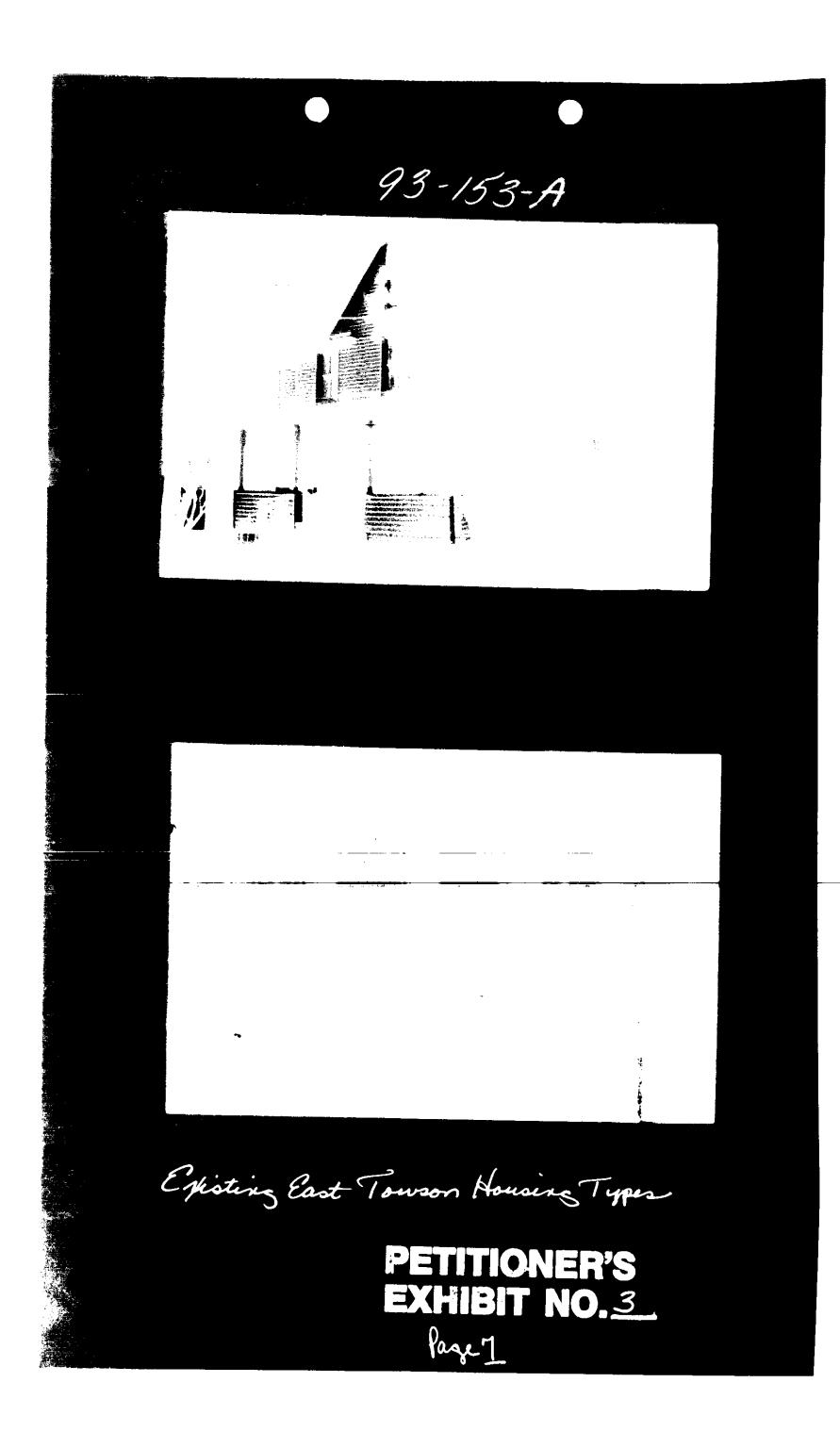








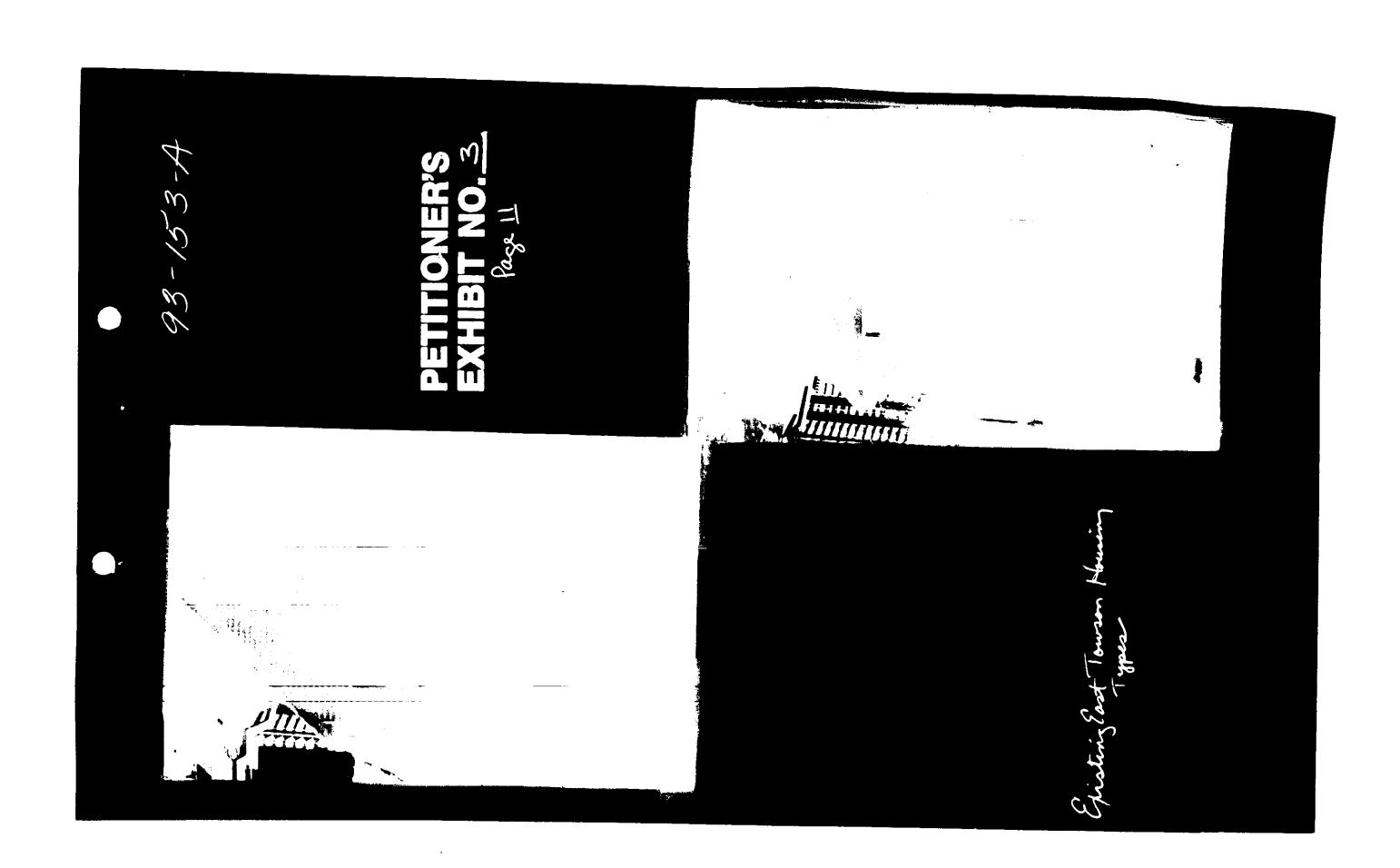


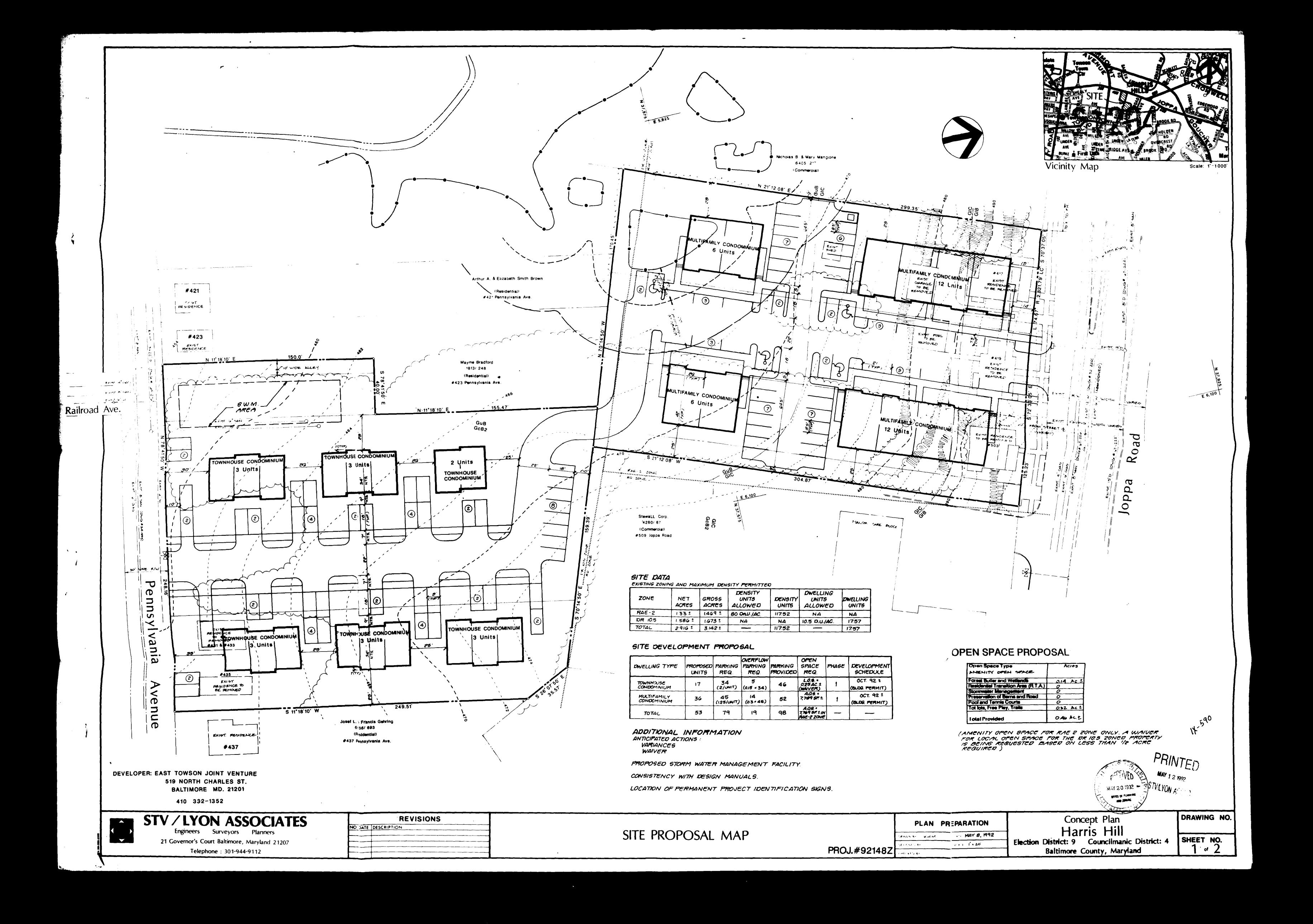


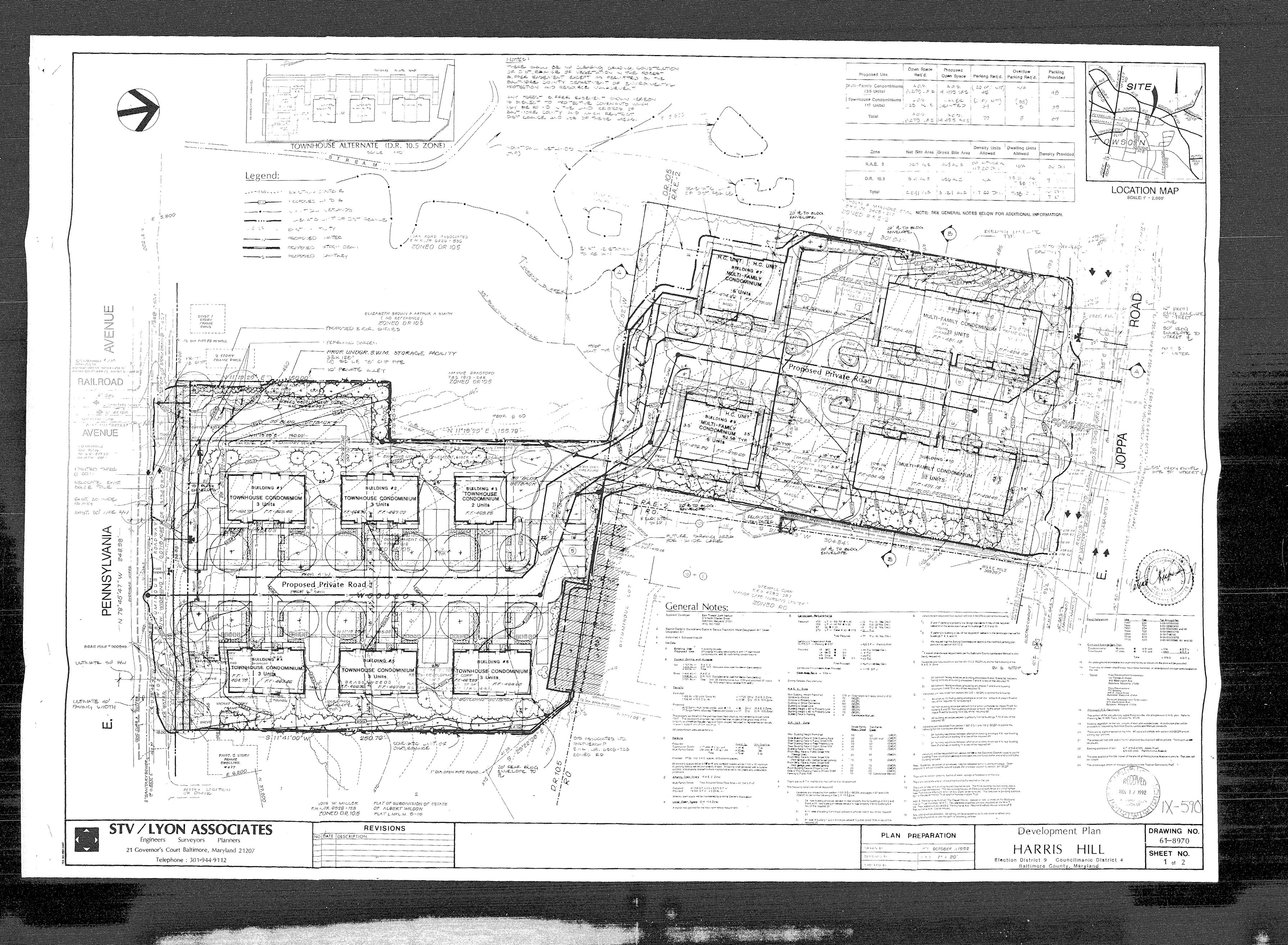


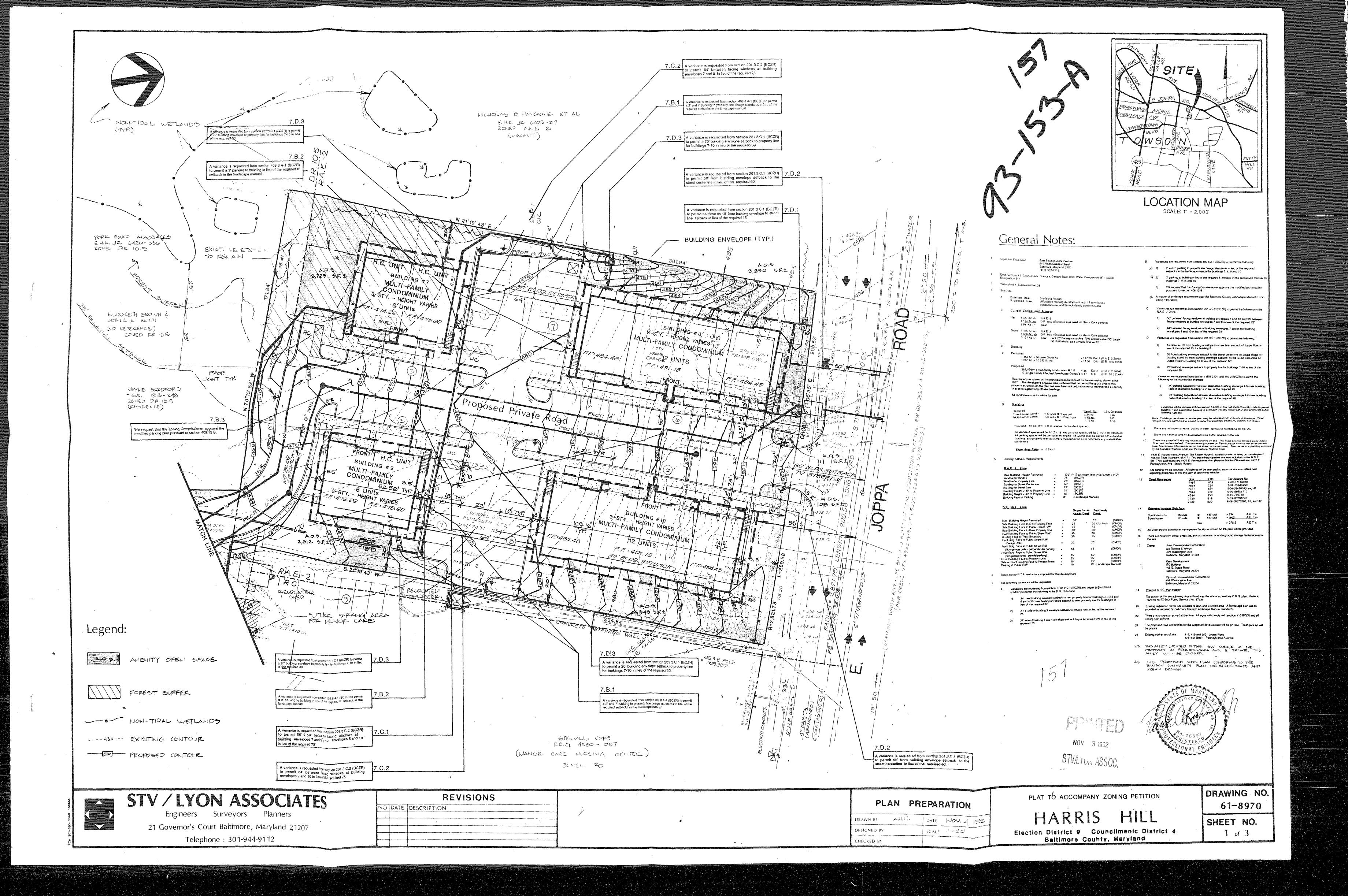


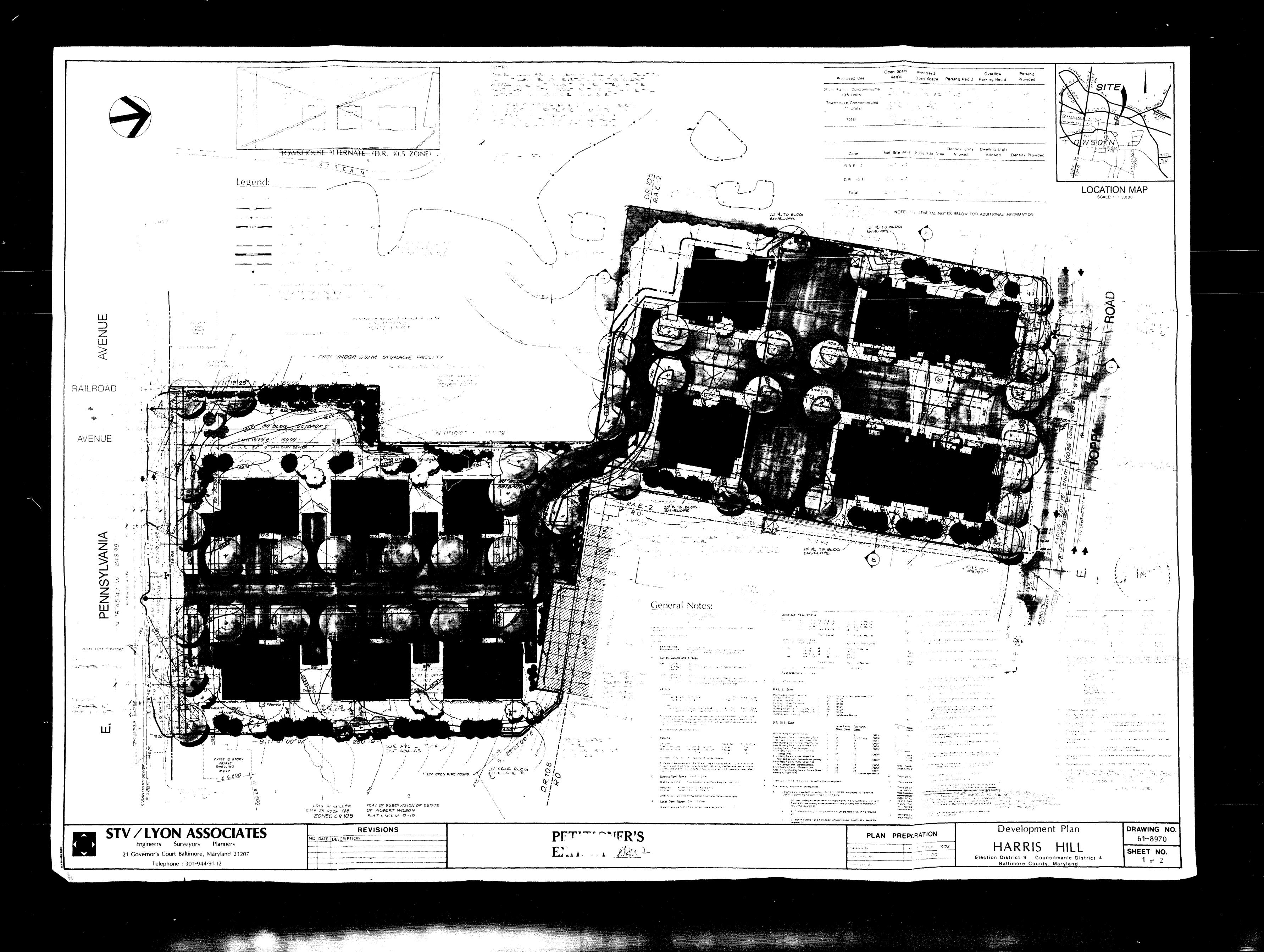


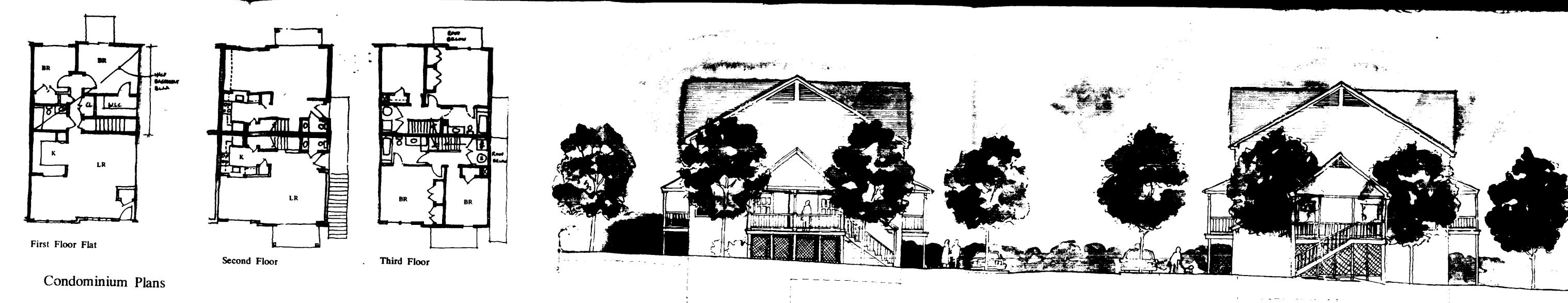












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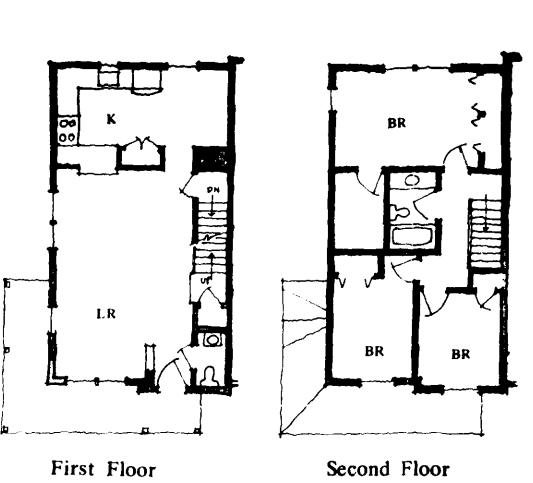
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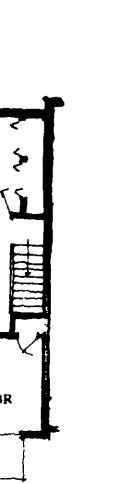
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Architects
Cho, Wilks & Benn Architects, Inc.

DateJune 23, 1992



Townhouse Plans



Second Floor



Townhouses, Pennsylvania Avenue Elevation



Townhouses, Front (East)



Townhouses, East Elevation (Rear)

Developer

East Towson Joint Venture

- Struever Brothers, Eccles & Rouse
- Plymouth Development Co.
- Keys Development Co.

HARRIS HILL HOUSING IN EAST TOWSON

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Cho, Wilks & Benn Architects, Inc.

Date June 23, 1992

which had been granted by DEPRM for regulations for the protection of water quality, streams, wetlands and floodplains, should be inserted. Also. certain corrections and modifications may be necessary to the Storm Water Management Concept Plan. Mr. Seeley requested that these two comments be added to the plan, a request with which the Developer acquiesed. Thus, it appears that DEPRM's concerns have been fully satisfied and there are no open environmental issues

Also testifying from Baltimore County was John L. Lewis from the Office of Zoning Administration. Hr. Lewis noted that the modified parking plan requested pursuant to Section 409.12 of the B.C.Z.R. will incorporate the Petitioner's plan to permit five compact parking spaces as shown on the development plan. Also, Mr. Lewis, opined that the Hearing Officer's hearing could also serve as that public forum necessary for relief under Section 409.8(b). That is, no use permit hearing is necessary in view of the public Hearing Officer's hearing. I shall so adopt the modified plan as presented and consider the public hearing held in this case as satisfying the requirement for public participation for a use permit under Section 409.8(b) of the B.C.Z.R.

In terms of community participation, testimony was received from John Etzer who owns property in the vicinity. He directed certain questions to the Developer relating to handicap accessibility. These concerns were apparently resolved to his satisfaction.

Also testifying was Dr. Thomas Daley, who owns property at 215 Joppa Road. This property is one lot removed from the subject site. He is opposed to the setback variances requested. In his view, strict compliance with the appropriate setback regulations should be maintained by the Developer. He believes that the granting of the variances would adversely affect the property values in the vicinity.

Also testifying was Louis Mangione who owns approximately 3 acres immediately to the south and west of the subject site. His concerns are largely related to the proposed landscaping on the property. Notwithstanding the Developer's testimony that the proposed landscape plan was fully in compliance with the County's manual and had been approved by Mr. Hardin, Mr. Mangione believes that additional landscaping should be provided. He also fears traffic congestion by an internal private roadway on which vehicles could traverse from Joppa Road to Pennsylvania Avenue. Although Mr. Mangione's property is not developed, it is clear that he fears potential opposition from the future residents of this subject site when he plans the development of his property.

As to the development plans submitted, Section 26-206 of the Development Regulations permits me to approve the project if same is in compliance with the development regulation and applicable policies, rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to Section 2-416 et seq. of the Baltimore County. In this respect, I am persuaded that the Developer has met his burden. The development plan submitted, as revised, is fully in compliance with the development regulations. This was clearly demonstrated based on the uncontradicted testimony of Mr. Corteal, as well as that provided by the County witnesses, Mr. Seeley and Mr. Lewis. It is apparent that the Developer has made significant efforts to comply with the appropriate development regulations. Further, the scope and nature of the project is to be lauded. The project provides needed and appropriately priced housing within the East Towson community. As noted in the development plan comments, this project enjoys the support of Baltimore County Office of Planning and Zoning, as well as the Office of Community Development. Frankly, it is difficult to appreciate the concerns expressed by the Protestants. These Protestants, who either now own or will develop their properties for commercial/office use, oppose the residential development proposed by this project. There is no basis in the record before me that the project will in any manner adversely affect these surrounding properties.

As to the variances requested, the testimony of Messrs. Corteal and Holback was particularly relevant. They indicated that the variances are necessary because of certain site constraints, including the configuration of the lots and steep topography of the property. Although the variances are numerous in number, it is to be noted that they are inter-related. That is, this is an integrated project which calls for the construction of ten buildings on approximately 6 acres. Obviously great care has been taken by the Developer to ensure that the buildings are compatible with one another and with the surrounding locale. Clearly, it is due to this integrated scheme of development that a consistent architectural style need be established. In fact, this style has resulted in the necessity of the variances requested, both as to the appropriate setbacks and parking

Clearly, it has been established by the testimony presented that the variances, if granted, will not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and will not result in an injury to the public good. The granting of these variances will not adversely affect the public health, safety and general welfare. Further, the Petitioner has established that specific site constraints and lot configurations exist which are particular to the subject property. These factors clearly justify the granting of these

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Baltimore County Government

Zoning Commissioner

Office of Planning and Zoning

December 23, 1992

variances and establish that the Petitioner will suffer practical difficulty if they are denied. The Petitioner has met its burden as prescribed by Section 307 of the B.C.Z.R. and the case law. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973) and Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28 (1974).

Therefore, pursuant to the zoning and development regulations of Baltimore County as contained within the B.C.Z.R. and Subtitle 26 of the Baltimore County Code, the advertising of the property, and public hearing held thereon, I will approve the development plan and variances requested herein consistent with the commencs and restrictions contained above and shall so order.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 23 day of December, 1992 that the amended development plan submitted for the subject property located in east Towson and comprised of two lots known as 425-435 Pennsylvania Avenue and 417, 419 and 503 Joppa Road, and known as the Harris Hill Community, proposed by East Towson Joint Venture, as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit No. 2, be and is hereby

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the following variances:

1. From Section 1B01.2.C.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) and associated provisions of the Comprehensive Manual Development Policy (CMDP) to permit:

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(A) a 24 ft. rear building envelope setback to rear property line

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for buildings 2,3,4,5 and 6, and a 20 ft. rear building envelope setback to rear property line for building 6, all in lieu of the required 30 ft.; (B) an 11 ft. side yard setback for building 3 to a private road

in lieu of the required 25 ft.; and,

(C) a 21 ft. side yard setback for buildings 1 and 4 to the public street right-of-way in lieu of the required 25 ft.

2. From Section 409.8A.1 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit:

(A) a 2 ft. and 7 ft. parking to property line design standard in lieu of the required setbacks in the landscape manual for buildings 7,8,9

(B) a 3 ft. parking to building setback in lieu of the required 6 ft. in the landscape manual for buildings 7,8,9 and 10; and

(C) an approval of the modified parking plan proposed, pursuant to Section 409.12B.

3. From Section 201.3C.2 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit the following in

an R.A.E.2 zone; (A) a distance of 50 ft. between facing windows at building

envelopes 8 and 10 and 56 ft. between facing windows at building envelopes 7 and 9, all in lieu of the required 75 ft.;

(B) a 64 ft. distance between facing windows at building envelopes 7 and 8 and building envelopes 9 and 10, in lieu of the required 75

4. An amended request has been presented for relief from Section 201.3.C.1 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit:

(A) A setback distance of 8 ft. from the building envelope to the street line setback of Joppa Road in lieu of the required 15 ft. for building 8;

(B) A distance of 48 ft. from the building envelope setback to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building 8 and a 53 ft. distance from building envelope setback to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building 10, in lieu of the required 60 ft.; and

(C) A 20 ft. building envelope setback distance to the property line for buildings 7 to 10, in lieu of the required 30 ft., be and are hereby GRANTED, all as more particularly shown on Petitioner's Exhibits 5A

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a Waiver from Section 26-278 of the Baltimore County Code, as it relates to preservation of historic structures, be and is hereby GRANTED.

Any appeal from this decision must be taken in accordance with Section 26-209 of the Baltimore County Code.

> Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

Keith E. Ronald, Esquire Thomas, Ronald & Cooper, P.A.

Suite 314, 409 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 RE: Project No. 92-148-Z Case No. IX-590 and 93-153-A Keys Development Corporation

East Towson Joint Venture - Harris Hill Dear Mr. Ronald:

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Towson, MD 21204

400 Washington Avenue

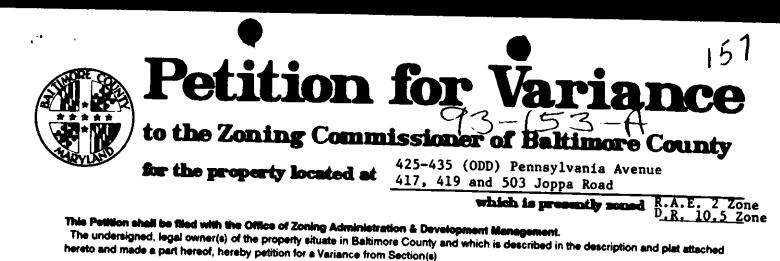
Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above captioned case. The Hearing Officer's Opinion and Development Plan Order\Variance Order have been granted.

In the event the decision rendered is unfavorable to any party, please be advised that any party may file an appeal within thirty (30) days of the date of the Order to the County Board of Appeals. If you require additional information concerning filing an appeal, please feel free to contact our Appeals Clerk at 887-3391.

Zoning Commissioner

(410) 887-4386

cc: Harold T. Rubin Tony Corteal George Holback Robert Hoffman, Esquire George Breschi, Esquire Joseph LaVerghetta, Esquire



SEE ATTACHED

of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the Zoning Law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

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HAROLD T. RUBIN, Vice President PLYMOUTH DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION HAROLD T. RUBIN, Vice President K.D.€. Suite 300 - 405 E. Joppa Road Towson, Maryland 21286 State Zipcode Name, Address and phone number of legal owner, contract purchaser or representative to be contacted (410) 825–2920 Harold T. Rubin see above (410)825-2920

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Contract Purchaser/Lessee

SEE ATTACHED Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.

I/We do solemnly declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Pr KEYS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION * Hawler - C. (Type or Print Name) By: A Baylar .

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OFFICE USE ONLY ESTIMATED LENGTH OF HEARING UNIVERSITY FOR Hearing Variances are requested from section 1 B01.2.C-1 (BCZR) and pages II-27and II-28 (CMDP) to permit the following in the D.R. 10.5 Zone:

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- 24' rear building envelope setback to rear property line for buildings 2,3,4,5 and 6 and a 20 ' rear building envelope setback to rear property line for building 6 in lieu of the required 30'.
- A 11' side of building 3 envelope setback to private road in lieu of the required
- 21' side of building 1 and 4 envelope setback to public street R/W in lieu of the
- Variances are requested from section 409.8 A-1 (BCZR) to permit the following:
- 2' and 7' parking to property line design standards in lieu of the required setbacks in the landscape manual for buildings 7, 8, 9 and 10.
- 3' parking to building in lieu of the required 6' setback in the landscape manual for
- * 3) We request that the Zoning Commissioner approve the modified parking plan pursuant to section 409.12 B

A waiver of landscape requirements per the Baltimore County Landscape Manual is also being requested.

- Variances are requested from section 201.3.C.2 (BCZR) to permit the following in the R.A.E. 2 Zone:
- 50' between facing windows at building envelopes 8 and 10 and 56' between facing windows at building envelopes 7 and 9 in lieu of the required 75'.
- 64' between facing windows at building envelopes 7 and 8 and building envelopes 9 and 10 in lieu of the required 75'.
- Variances are requested from section 201.3.C.1 (BCZR) to permit the following:
 - As close as 10' from building envelope to street line setback of Joppa Road in lieu of the required 15' for building 8.
 - 50' from building envelope setback to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building 8 and 55' from building envelope setback to the street centerline on Joppa Road for building 10 in lieu of the required 60'.
 - 20' building envelope setback to property line for buildings 7-10 in lieu of the
- Variances are requested from section 1 B01.2.C-1 and 102.2 (BCZR) to permit the following for the townhouse alternate:
- 24' building separation between alternative building envelope 4 to rear building face of alternative building 12 in lieu of the required 40'.
- 21' building separation between alternative building envelope 4 to rear building face of alternative building 11 in lieu of the required 40'.

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PETITION OF PLYMOUTH DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND KEYS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR VARIANCES

The area variances requested in this Petition are necessary in order to construct fifty-three affordable dwelling units on the irregular shaped parcels of property described in the Petition and Plat attached thereto. The slope of the subject property drops off approximately 40 feet over the 600 feet from the front of the property on Joppa Road to the rear property line on East Pennsylvania Avenue. Variances are also required in order to accommodate the requests of the local community association and representatives of Baltimore County to include within the development a private roadway providing all residents direct access to Joppa Road.

Strict compliance with the area regulations from which variances are sought would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for residential purposes or would render conformance unnecessarily burdensome. A lesser relaxation of the regulations from which variances are requested would give substantial relief to the Petitioner in such fashion that the spirit of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations will be observed and public safety and welfare secured. This is best exemplified by the facts that (i) the private roadway to be constructed through the development will promote safety both within the development and throughout the neighboring community by providing all residents in this development direct access to Joppa Road; and (ii) the 36 density units proposed to be constructed in the R.A.E. 2 zoned property of the Petitioner in accordance with the attached plan is 81 less than the 117 density units permitted by the property's zoning. The 17 dwelling units proposed to be constructed in the D.R. 10.5 zone by the Petitioner is in compliance with the County's density requirement for that zone.

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ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR HARRIS HILL 417-503 E. JOPPA ROAD & 425-435 E. PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE EAST TOWSON, BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND.

BEGINNING at a point along the northeasterly side of E. Pennsylvania Avenue (30 feet wide), distant North 78°45'47" West 18 feet from the northeasterly projection of the existing centerline of Railroad Avenue, thence leaving said E. Pennsylvania Avenue and running:

- 1. North 11°19'29" East 150.00 feet to a point, thence,
- 2. South 78°45'47" East 40.00 feet to a point, thence,
- 3. North 11°19'29" East 155.78 feet to a point, thence,
- 4. North 70°15'52" West 171.34 feet to a point, thence,
- 5. North 21°19'43" East 301.94 feet to a point to intersect the southwesterly side of E. Joppa Road (variable width right-of-way), thence along same the following course and distance; by a curve to the right
- A radius of 2,821.79 feet, an arc length of 200.58 feet, said curve being subtended by a chord bearing South 71°05'35" East 200.53 feet to a point, thence, leaving said E. Joppa Road and continuing,
- 7. South 21°19'43" West 304.84 feet to a point, thence,
- 8. South 70°15'52" East 160.27 feet to a point, thence,
- 9. South 29°22'09" East 35.62 feet to a point, thence,
- 10. South 11°41'00" West 250.76 feet to a point to intersect the aforementioned northeasterly side of E. Pennsylvania Avenue, thence along
- 11. North 78°45'47" West 248.98 feet to the point of beginning.

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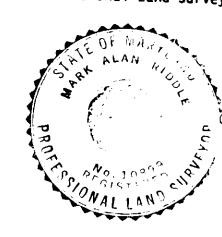
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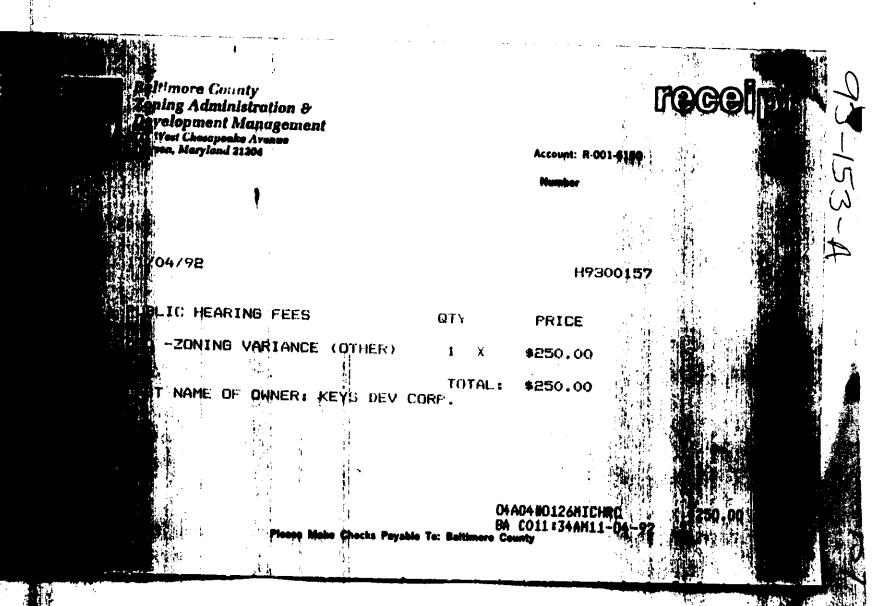
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